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Hamilton et al.

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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT**  
**FOR PTO AND APPLICANT MISTAKES**

Transmitted herewith is a Certificate of Correction for U.S. Patent No. 6,723,376 B1 issued Apr. 20, 2004. Upon reviewing the patent, it was noted that the following errors were made by the Patent and Trademark Office, which should be corrected as follows:

Title Page, Item (75) Inventors:

"Gergina Elizabth Green,"

--Georgina Elizabeth Green,"--

**should read**

(the "o" and "e" were omitted

**emphasis added)**

Attached is a copy of the Recordation Form listing the correct spelling of the second assignee's name.

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Claim 27, column 20, line 11, the formula

"R<sup>3</sup>O(SiR<sup>1</sup>R<sup>2</sup>O)<sub>n</sub>R<sup>3</sup>,"

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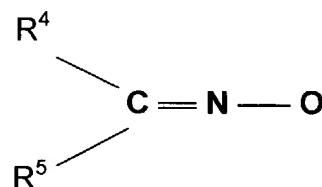
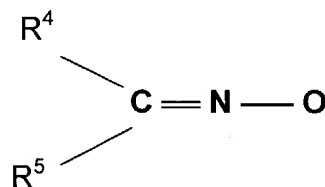
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**("n" should not be italicized**

**emphasis added)**

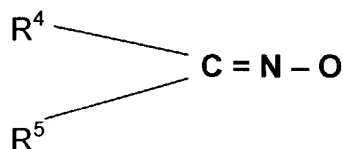
It was also noted that the following typographical error was made by the Applicant, which should be corrected as follows:

Claim 6, column 18, lines 56-60, the formula



**should read :**

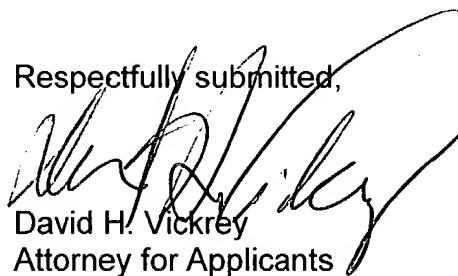
**(the formula on the right should be removed)**



Since one of the errors is the subject of the present Certificate of Correction as a result of the Applicant's mistake, it is believed the fee is \$100.00. If an additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the applicant's deposit account 01-1350 for full amount of said fee.

Applicants respectfully solicit the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

Respectfully submitted,



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DATED : Apr. 20, 2004

INVENTOR(S) : Hamilton et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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--Georgina Elizabeth Green,"--

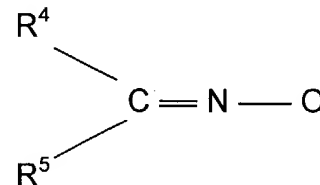
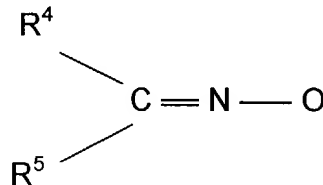
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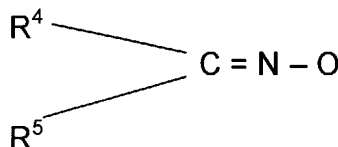
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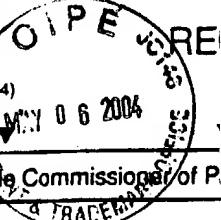
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